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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
TOSHIHIKO MIYAZAKI ET AL. ) Examiner: E.M. Gemmell  
Application No.: 09/705,957 ) Group Art Unit: 2882  
Filed: November 6, 2000 )  
For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS ) October 1, 2003

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES

Sir:

With the Examiner's approval, and at such time as a Notice of Allowance may issue, Applicants propose to amend the drawings in the above-identified application as follows:

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(Name of Attorney for Applicant)

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Signature

October 1, 2003

Date of Signature

Figs. 51 and 52: Change "T" to --Ts--.

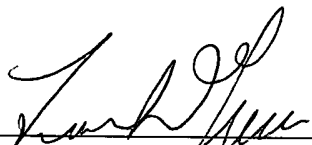
Fig. 28: Replace with the attached substitute Fig. 28.

The proposed changes are incorporated in the attached duplicate copies of the pertinent figures.

Entry of the proposed drawing changes is respectfully requested.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$0.00

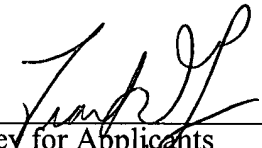
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